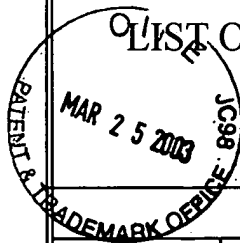


EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to Applicant.

ATTY. DOCKET NO.
P-0151APPLN. SERIAL NO.
09/712,932APPLICANT(S)
Ji Eun LEE and Hyeon Jun KIMFILING DATE
November 16, 2000GROUP
2621

**LIST OF PRIOR ART CITED BY
APPLICANT
(PTO-1449)**

**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

EXAMINER'S INITIALS	*PATENT NO.	*ISSUE DATE	*INVENTOR NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE

U.S. PATENT APPLICATION PUBLICATIONS

EXAMINER'S INITIALS	*PATENT APPLN. PUB. NO.	*PUB. DATE	*APPLICANT	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE

U.S. PATENT APPLICATIONS

EXAMINER'S INITIALS	*APPLN. NO.	*FILING DATE	*INVENTOR	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER'S INITIALS	PATENT NO.	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation	
						Yes	No

OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Publisher, Place of Publication, Etc.)

<i>Awc</i>	Abdel-Mottaleb M. et al., "MPEG-7: A Content Description Standard Beyond Compression," IEEE 42nd Midwest Symposium on Circuits and Systems, August 1999, Section 3.1.1 pgs. 770-777.
<i>Awc</i>	Park, Du-Sik et al., "Image Indexing Using Weighted Color Histogram," IEEE International Conference on Image Analysis and Processing, Los Alamitos, CA, September 27, 1999, pgs. 909-914.
<i>Awc</i>	Sawhney, H.S. et al., "Efficient Color Histogram Indexing," IEEE International Conference on Image Processing, Los Alamitos, CA, November 13, 1994 pgs. 66-70.
<i>Awc</i>	Stricker, Markus and Marcus Orengo, "Similarity of Color Images," SPIE Vol. 2420, Bellingham, VA, February 9, 1995, pgs. 381-392.
<i>Awc</i>	Stricker, Markus and Michael Swain, "The Capacity of Color Histogram Indexing," IEEE Computer Society Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition, Los Alamitos, CA, June 21, 1994, pgs. 704-708.
<i>Awc</i>	Jacobs, I.M. and Leonard Kleinrock, "Prefix Coding of Histograms for Minimal Storage," IEEE Transactions on Communication Technology, vol. Com-15, April 2, 1967, pgs. 149-155.
<i>Awc</i>	Iwanisky A., W. Wilhelmi, "Lexikon der Computergraphik und Bildverarbeitung," 1994, Viewe, Braunschweig, pg 230.

EXAMINER

Awc

DATE CONSIDERED

11/4/03

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to Applicant.